Statement

Projects/Schemes Sanctioned during the Seventh Five Year Plan Gujarat

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl No.	Name of the project/scheme	Year of sanction	Amount sanctioned
1	Haveli cottages at Ahmedpur Mandvi Beach	1985-86	21.02
2	Cafetaria at Dwarika	Do.	6.28
3	Cafetaria at Somnath	Do.	5.00
4	Const. of 25 beach cottages Nargole, Bulsar district	Do.	30.17
5	Yatri Niwas at Dakor	Do.	41.20
6	Wayside facilities at Limbdi	Do.	6.46
7	Highway facilities at Ankleshwar	1986-87	35.84
8	Mini buses for Sasangir	Do.	13.00
9	Promotion of fairs and festivals	Do.	6.38
10	Cafetaria at Patan	1987-88	4.25
11	Cottage at Tithal	1988-89	12.62
12	Construction of Dormitories at Pavagarh	Do.	14.76
13	Kite Festival, Ahmedabad	Do.	3.50
14	Construction of 5 'A' type and 'B' type cottages at Saputa Hill Resort	1989-90	
15	Wayside amenities at Rajkot	Do.	16.50
16	Kite Festival	Do.	4.25
17	National Youth Mela	Do.	0.10
	TOTAL		237.29

East-West Airlines venture in hotel industry

1940. SHRI VIREN J. SHAH:

SHRI SHIV PRATAP MISHRA:

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that East-West Airlines has tied up with the quality Inn Group, a hotel chain having a number of hotels in the country, for providing value-added services to the passengers;

(b) if so, what are the details of incentives and facilities offered by East-West Airlines and other airline operating in the country to attract both, Indian and foreign tourists;

(c) whether the Indian Airlines also propose to provide similar facilities to Indian and foreign tourists, if so, what are the details in this regard; and

(d) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) and (b) Government do not have detailed information on any such tie-up by East-West Airlines.

(c) and (d) Indian Airlines has entered into an agreement with India Tourism Development Corporation (ITDC) for a joint sales promotion w.e.f. 1st December, 1993. The main features of the agreement are:—

(1) Any incoming passenger, holding an Indian Airlines ticket/boarding pass of IA's flight of the same day shall be given a 15% discount on room rent only at all ITDC hotels.

(2) Indian Airlines' Executive/Business class passengers will be extended special courtsies in the hotel such as fruitbasket, flower etc.